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Subject: Re: Stockholm Convention - revised Dechlorane Plus risk profile for Monday meeting

Thank you so much — this is perfect.

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"This is not to say that the case cannot be made, rather I just think the draft write up has failed to do so." So we aren't saying the case cannot be made, but that it needs more work at this stage.

As you know, I'm comfortable with the USA being tough and against the grain, but if we think there's a pathway, let's be transparent about that as well.

Thanks again, Todd.

Adding Amber and State (Liz) to the chain.

Best, Karissa

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Thanks, Todd. Understand -- there is just way, way too much stuff going on for all of us. This meeting starts Monday morning at 6am our time (all week + Saturday), and Dechlorane Plus is likely to come up first thing Tuesday morning. So please don't worry about this for today and good luck with your deadline, but if you can send us something over the week-end or very early Monday morning so we are prepared for Tuesday, that would be fine. If the new information Laura has flagged as being added to the risk profile is persuasive to you, then we will need time to adjust our position paper and talking points. Many thanks!

Best, Karissa

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Importance: High

Hi Todd,

A revised version of the draft risk profile for Dechlorane Plus was just released – and the POPRC meeting starts Monday. Would you be able to take a look at this and let us know if you think any of the information in the risk profile provides evidence for adverse effects or toxicity or ecotoxicity data indicating the potential for damage to human health and the environment?

Also, the issue of read-across has come up in our discussions of the draft risk profile. The risk profile states that "quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR) modelling and testing done by the manufacturer indicate that Dechlorane Plus has characteristics typical of POPs." YEX. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

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Thanks! Laura